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FAHD-REAGAN MEETING: U.S. President Ronald Reagan points the way to Crown Prince Fahd before a private meeting at Cancun Friday where both were attending the North-South conference.

Accord on holding N-S talks reached

CANCUN, Mexico, Oct. 24 (Agencies) — Leaders of 22 rich and poor countries wound up the North-South summit here Friday night with a compromise setting the scene for renewed procedural debate in the United Nations...

Fahd hails conference

CANCUN, Oct. 24 (SPA) — In a statement Saturday night Crown Prince Fahd described the conference as a great success and said that it had achieved its principal objective...

Reagan to go all-out lobbying for AWACS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP) — President Ronald Reagan, returning Saturday to Washington, "will be going full-bore" in a final campaign to win Senate approval of the proposed sale of AWACS radar planes to Saudi Arabia...

Over 70,000 participate Peace march hits London

LONDON, Oct. 24 (R) — Tens of thousands of men, women and children, singing and carrying placards against nuclear weapons, streamed through central London Saturday in one of the biggest anti-nuclear protests ever seen in Britain.

Move against Solidarity Troops deployed throughout Poland

WARSAW, Oct. 24 (Agencies) — The Polish government, in an apparent move against Solidarity trade union's strike threat, has announced that units of trained soldiers, whose two-year service term was recently extended by two months, would be deployed throughout Poland in the next few days.

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Indians offered French weapons

NEW DELHI, Oct. 24 (AP) — France is ready to sell India a wide range of sophisticated arms in addition to the Mirage-2000 combat aircraft, French Aerospace and Space Industries Association chairman Gen. Jacques Mitterrand said Saturday.

5,000 Spaniards face death from poisonous oil

MURCIA, Spain, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Unless an effective cure is found, 5,000 persons may die of the 15,000 in Spain who contracted toxic pneumonia from adulterated cooking oil.

Jeddah's Phase IV

Majed dedicates desalination unit

By Alan Kenney

JEDDAH, Oct. 24 — Officiating for King Khalid, Makkah Governor Prince Majed dedicated the fourth phase of the saline water desalination plant here Saturday. The addition will bring the total output available for this Red Sea port city to about 85 million gallons of water daily and will produce 500,000 kilowatts of electricity per day.

Prince Majed was accompanied by his deputy governor Prince Saud bin Abdul Mohsen, Planning Minister Hisham Nazer, Agricultural Minister Sheikh Abdul Rahman Al Sheikh, Public Security Director Gen. Abdullah Al-Sheikh and Jeddah Mayor Muhammad Said Farsi. Officials from the diplomatic community also attended the ceremony.

Speaking to Arab News, Agricultural Minister Abdul Rahman Al Sheikh said the plant is part of an overall program to satisfy the basic needs for drinking water and industry. In addition, he said the second objective of the desalination project was to produce all of Jeddah's drinking needs so that water from Wadi Fatima and Wadi Khulais could be used exclusively for agricultural needs.

"By the completion of the fourth stage, we will stop the water from being pumped for

drinking purposes and instead will use it for agriculture. Already steps are being taken for this purpose," the minister said.

He added that his ministry is undertaking several other projects to bring drinking water to every house in the country through a network of desalination plants and water treatment stations.

Addressing the audience during the ceremony, Al-Sheikh discussed development efforts, which were begun by King Abdul Aziz and given further impetus by King Faisal and King Khalid.

The Saline Water Conversion Corporation Governor, Sheikh Abdullah Muhammad Al-Ghilaqan, also said that the desalination plant would let water from the wadis be used for broader agricultural purposes.

Jeddah Mayor Farsi expressed his appreciation for the water, which would be enough for all the people in Jeddah. He said now is the time to provide water for everyone in the Kingdom.

Prince Majed then personally thanked all the Saudi Arabian engineers who have participated in the project, and expressed his appreciation to the contractors. Afterward he was given a tour of the plant.



DEDICATION: Makkah Governor Prince Majed unveiled the commemorative plaque marking the dedication of Jeddah's phase IV desalination project in Jeddah Saturday. Prince Majed is seen at the center, with Agriculture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh extreme right.

Experts study Islamic court

JEDDAH, Oct. 24 (SPA) — The committee of experts entrusted with the task of drawing the charter of the International Islamic Court of Justice opened its meetings at the Organization of the Islamic Conference's headquarters here Saturday.

The meeting, presided over by Pakistan Minister of Justice Sharifuddin Pervez, is attended by experts from the Kingdom, Kuwait, the UAE, Tunisia, Senegal, Mauritania and Bangladesh in addition to Pakistan.

OIC Secretary General Habib Chatti addressed the delegates at the opening session commending the positive results achieved in such a short time to prepare the charter for the proposed Islamic court of justice. The court's establishment was approved by the Third Islamic Summit of Makkah early

this year. "The implementation of this project in a short time reflects the seriousness and enthusiasm of the committee's members to accomplish this blessed Islamic work," Chatti said.

Reviewing the working phases of the committee, Chatti said that the first and second meetings held in Kuwait and Tunisia respectively were successful. He expressed the hope that the project would be completed and submitted in time to the forthcoming session of the Islamic Foreign Ministers' Council.

A meeting of Islamic justice ministers will be called for between February and March next year to review the final draft of the proposed court.

The project was first proposed by Kuwait at the Islamic summit.

MWL eyes Cypriot issue

MAKKAH, Oct. 24 (SPA) — Muslim World League Secretary General Sheikh Muhammad Ali Al-Harakan said here Saturday that the issue of Cypriot Muslims stems from the wishes of the Turkish Cypriots who are struggling to preserve their freedom, Islamic heritage and legitimate rights.

He added that ongoing talks between the two communities is the ideal way to solve the problem on the basis of political equality for the two communities, within the framework of an independent Federal Republic of Cyprus having no bias toward any party.

Harakan said the MWL Constituent Council has appealed for an urgent solution to the conflict in a method agreeable to both sides, providing opportunity for co-existence in peace and security until a financial solution to the conflict is reached.

He added that offensive statements by any side, would impair efforts being exerted to bring peace in the island. He urged that the

position be so described as to safeguard the island's independence and freedom without infringing the rights of any of the two peoples who have lived in peace until the Communists and the Crusaders made inroads and expanded the conflict there.

Power firms to meet

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH, Oct. 24 — Dr. Talal Abdul Karim Bakr, director general of the Western Region consolidated electricity company, will preside over a meeting, Sunday, to discuss the merger of electricity companies in the Makkah and Madinah governorates. A royal decree was issued recently calling for merging all electricity companies into a consolidated one. The meeting will be attended by directors of electricity companies in the two governorates.

Cities to get telephone code change

DAMMAM, Oct. 24 (SPA) — Saudi Telephone in the Eastern Province will abolish the use of the code "03" for subscribers in Rubaimah and Safwa when they wish to call the main cities and towns in the region.

Hassan Shagroun, Saudi telephone public relations director in the Eastern Province, said Saturday that Rubaimah and Safwa subscribers will be able to call Dammam,

Alkhobar, Dhahran, Qatif, Sybat and Tarout without dialing the code "03" as of Oct. 28.

He added that subscribers in the above mentioned cities also will be able to place calls to Rubaimah and Safwa without using the code. The move comes as part of Saudi telephone's new plan to ensure better services for subscribers, he stressed.

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| Dhuhr (Noon) | 12:05 | 12:06 | 11:37 | 11:24 | 11:48 | 12:18 |
| Asr (Afternoon) | 3:22 | 3:21 | 2:52 | 2:38 | 3:02 | 3:30 |
| Maghreb (Sunset) | 5:50 | 5:48 | 5:19 | 5:04 | 5:28 | 5:56 |
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Anqari opens meeting of Gulf labor experts

RİYADH, Oct. 24 (SPA) — Labor and Social Affairs Minister Sheikh Ibrahim Al-Anqari Saturday opened the fourth session meetings of the Arab Gulf Labor and Social Affairs Experts' committee. The meeting is attended by delegates from Kuwait, Iraq, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman and the United Arab Emirates in addition to the Kingdom.

The opening session, held at King Faisal conference hall, was addressed by Anqari who welcomed the participants and commended consultations among Gulf states on labor and social affairs. He told the delegates that the meeting is an outcome of the constituent session held in Bahrain in 1978.

During that session, the principles and basic objectives of the social and labor policies were drawn for the Arab Gulf Labor and Social Affairs Ministers' Council. Anqari added.

He said that the solutions to social and labor problems to be discussed at the current meeting should conform with the area's

religious and traditional environment and avoid any 'alien or imported' customs. The labor and social affairs ministers council aims at achieving prosperity for the Gulf individual by raising the economic and social levels through serious and continuous work, the minister said.

Anqari stressed the importance of the committee's agenda during this meeting and addressed the delegates saying that constructive, scientific dialogue and frank discussions are required to reach the objectives aspired for. The committee's recommendations will be submitted to the labor and social affairs ministers' council for approval during its upcoming meeting.

The opening session also was addressed by Ahmad Al-Jumaidi, UAE labor and social affairs ministry undersecretary who was chairman of the seventh session. He thanked the Kingdom for hosting the meeting. Kamal Saleh Al-Saleh, the council's follow-up bureau secretary general, also spoke at the



Sheikh Ibrahim Al-Anqari

meeting.

After a short break, Ahmad Al-Yahya, Saudi Arabian deputy minister for labor affairs, was chosen as the session's chairman. UAE's Jumaidi was elected vice-chairman and Bahrain's Hamad Al-Wazzan the rapporteur.

The committee endorsed the meeting's agenda and decided to send cables of thanks to King Khaled, Crown Prince Fahd and Anqari for the Kingdom's hosting of the meeting.

Arts exhibit planned

DAMMAM, Oct. 24 (SPA) — The Saudi Arabian Cultural and Arts Society of Dammam will organize Monday the fifth collective plastic arts exhibition in the Eastern Province, it was reported Saturday. The show will be held at the exhibitions hall of the Public Administration Institute here.

The week-long event will incorporate the works of 30 male and female artists who are participating with drawings that illustrate the old patterns of life and tools used in the Eastern Province, now considered among the traditions of the region. During the last two days, the exhibition will be open to women only.

Indian Muslim leader backs Fahd plan

By Shamsuddin Ansari

JEDDAH, Oct. 24 — Ibrahim Sulaiman Sait, president of Indian Union Muslim League, Friday voiced his strong support for Crown Prince Fahd's eight-point proposal to solve the Middle East problem.

Sait, who is also secretary of Indo-Palestine Conference and member of the Indian Parliament, told a large gathering of Indian Muslims at the Meridien Hotel that Prince Fahd's plan "has to be attempted at all cost" in the interest of Jews, Christians and Muslims. He said that it was the duty of Muslims everywhere to work for the liberation of Jerusalem from the Zionist occupation. If negotiations prove futile, he said, Muslims should not hesitate to use force to save the holy city from the Zionist sacrilege.

Sait recalled the late King Faisal's

desire to pray at the Aqsa Mosque and hoped that King Khaled will carry his predecessor's message and be able to pray at the holy mosque in fulfillment of the wishes of the martyred King. He expressed deep appreciation of Saudi Arabia's role as the custodian of the Holy Harams of Makkah and Madinah and conveyed the gratitude of Indian Muslims for the way in which the Kingdom's leadership is serving millions of Muslims coming to this holy land for a pilgrimage to the Holy Kaaba.

Sait said that the Muslims of India have always come forward in support of all Islamic issues. He added that the Indian government was the first to accord recognition to the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) and has consistently supported Arab causes and the restoration of Jerusalem.

He said the Indian Union Muslim League has been active since India gained independence in 1947, and is the political national organization of the Muslims of India. The IUML has ceaselessly tried to create consciousness of Islamic Brotherhood and a sense of belonging to the Islamic Ummah (nation), he said, and called for Islamic solidarity and unity of Muslim ranks.

The IUML chief also referred to the frequent communal riots in India and said that it was the duty of every Muslim to voice sympathy for the causes of Muslims. He said the IUML has always come forward to fight the case of Indian Muslims, and added that he longed to see the league so strong that no government can be formed in the country without it. "We are working for such a situation to arise", he said.

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Egypt's plotters to be tried in public

CAIRO, Oct. 24 (Ageocias) — Extremists accused of trying to overthrow the Egyptian government will face a public trial to show the country the full extent of the plot, Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak said in an interview published Saturday.

He told the semi-official newspaper *Al-Ahram* that they plotted a "bloody Khomeini-style revolution" in which Egypt's entire political, religious and military leadership would be wiped out. Documents found on the extremists revealed that President Anwar Sadat, who was assassinated at a military parade Oct. 6, was their top target, he said.

But he said that all the guests sitting in a grandstand with Sadat could have been killed if two bombs which hit the stand had exploded. Mubarak said that the timing of the plot was advanced after Sadat gained knowledge of it and ordered the arrests of more than 1,500 persons in a major crackdown last month. He said the conspirators planned to take over the state television building, the defense ministry and the security headquarters inside the interior ministry.

'On schedule'

America, Israel assure Egypt on Sinai pullout

KUWAIT, Oct. 24 (Ageocias) — Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali says the U.S. and Israel have assured his country that Israel will withdraw from the rest of Sinai by next April as agreed under the 1979 Egyptian-Israeli Peace Treaty, a Kuwaiti newspaper said Saturday.

The daily *Al-Siyassah* quoted him as saying he believed the Israelis would withdraw "because any violation of the treaty will expose peace to danger, a matter no one can tolerate." "There are American and Israeli assurances that the withdrawal will take place as scheduled April 25, 1982," he said.

Ali reiterated that Egypt's foreign policy, including the peace process with Israel, would not change following President Anwar Sadat's assassination earlier this month.

Meanwhile, the army announced in Washington Friday that a battalion of U.S. paratroopers has been tentatively chosen to serve in an international peacekeeping force which will move into the Sinai as Israel completes its withdrawal.

The army said the 1st Battalion, 505th Infantry, 82nd Airborne Division, stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, "will begin the necessary planning, preparation and training for their possible peacekeeping mission."

The announcement noted that Congress has not yet approved U.S. military participation in the peacekeeping operation, provided for under the U.S.-sponsored Egypt-Israel peace



Kamal Hassan Ali

treaty and the Camp David Accords.

Additional army logistic and administrative elements contemplated for the peacekeeping force have not yet been identified, the army said, because the force's total makeup still is in the planning process, meaning the United States is waiting for other countries to commit some of their armed forces to the peacekeeping operation.

The General Accounting Office, after a review of the potential U.S. peacekeeping role in the Sinai, told Senator Charles H. Percy, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee last month that the U.S. contribution would total more than 1,200 persons, including an 800-member infantry battalion, 356 logistics specialists and about 50 civilian observers.

The U.S. battalion will be stationed in the southern part of the Sinai near Sharm El-Sheikh, which controls sea access into the Gulf of Aqaba. The U.S. battalion will be equipped with jeeps and trucks and light weapons, including mortars and machine-guns, but no tanks or armored personnel carriers, antitank weapons or heavy artillery, the GAO told Percy. The rest of the multinational force will be made up of two 500-man battalions from other countries, plus units for communications, air operations and at least one patrol boat.

The GAO said in September that, up to that point, only Colombia, Uruguay and Fiji had formally offered to take part in the peacekeeping operation. In recent days, France reportedly has indicated a willingness to contribute troops to the peacekeeping force while Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser told his country's parliament that Australia will also provide troops if Britain and Canada do so as well.

U.N. suggests \$1m budget for Palestine panel

UNITED NATIONS, Oct. 24 (R) — A General Assembly committee Friday recommended a budget of more than \$1.150,000 over the next two years for the U.N.'s Committee on Palestinian rights and for the special unit of the secretariat that services it.

The vote in the administrative and budgetary committee was 57 in favor to three against — the United States, Canada and Israel — with 16 abstentions, mostly by West European countries. The budget item, certain to be endorsed by the assembly's plenary, consists of \$71,800 for the Palestine Rights Committee, and \$1,082,600 for the special secretariat unit.

In a related development, the Palestine Rights Committee, at a meeting of its own Friday discussed a draft resolution to be submitted to the assembly calling for an expansion of the committee's operations and the production of a new film on Palestinian rights.

In Sudanese crackdown 1,200 held in Khartoum

KHARTOUM, Oct. 24 (R) — Sudanese security forces made 1,200 more arrests in Khartoum Friday in a crackdown aimed at clearing what officials describe as loiterers, tramps and petty criminals from the streets.

An official statement published Saturday said 300 of those detained were released after questioning. Others were found with stolen goods, unlicensed weapons and hoarded commodities, the statement added. More than 3,000 persons have been detained over the past eight weeks in a campaign which officials said is designed partly to remove a possible breeding ground for Libyan infiltration.

The Sudanese government has accused Libyan leader Muammar Qaddafi of attempting to undermine the rule here of President Jaafar Numeiri. It says that some of those arrested had admitted during questioning to being Libyan agents.

Many of those arrested have been sent to work on farms. The government announced that some Chadians alleged to have taken part in the bombing of Chad's embassy here in June will stand trial next week. Two per-



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Afghan fighters set terms to free Soviet

ISLAMABAD, Oct. 24 (AP) — The Younus Khalis faction of the Hezbi Islami (Islamic Party) has offered to release the 67-year-old Soviet adviser captured in Kabul last month and is held prisoner by them at an undisclosed location inside Afghanistan, in return for 50 Afghan resistance members held by the Kabul regime.

A rebel group said the exchange must be administered by the international committee of the Red Cross.

Western diplomatic sources contacted here said they were convinced that the Hezbi was holding a Soviet civilian advisor, identified as E.R. Okrimyuk, a geologist who has lived in Afghanistan for five years.

East, west Beirut trade shelling

BEIRUT, Oct. 24 (R) — Rightist and nationalist radio stations reported an exchange of shellfire between east and west Beirut Saturday and witnesses said two persons were injured in the western sector when shells hit the roofs of two buildings.

The radio of the Phalangist Party said three 82-millimeter shells landed in Ashrafieh, the main residential district of east Beirut, causing some damage. The habitual shooting across the commercial quarter of Beirut has intensified recently.

An Arab League committee, grouping Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Syria and Lebanon, last met in foreign minister level last month and order the reopening of crossing points in Beirut and the halting of illicit arms supplies through Lebanese ports. But only one crossing point has reopened and nothing has been done about others.

A Hezbi representative displayed the photograph of a white-haired man with dark-rimmed glasses sitting on a traditional Afghan string bed. He released handwritten letters in Russian addressed to Okrimyuk's wife and a friend in Moscow. The group's statement said Okrimyuk was captured in the center of Kabul at 2 p.m., Sept. 12, by two rebels with the connivance of his chauffeur while being driven from his apartment in the Mikirayon section of the capital.

Okrimyuk was beaten unconscious by his captors who drove his Soviet jeep through army checkpoints and out of the city, it said. In a letter purportedly written in captivity, the Soviet geologist said he suffered had headaches and his eyesight worsened after the beating during which his lower dentures were broken.

"Please intervene on my behalf," said the letter, addressed to a Moscow official identified only as Tikhonov. "I am in a terrible situation."

The same group announced the capture last June of a Soviet MiG pilot named Mikhail Gorchinsky Semyonovich whom it had hoped to exchange for jailed resistance fighters. However, the pilot was seized by Pakistani authorities after being brought to Peshawar and quietly repatriated to the Soviet Union, Soviet embassy officials here claimed.

The Hezbi statement said Okrimyuk was being held at one of the group's "headquarters" and was being treated well. "He has been provided with regular food, fruit, sweets and medicine." The rightwing faction went on to claim that Okrimyuk criticized Karmal regime and said that installing it into power in December 1979 was a Soviet mistake.

Cheysson, Cot differ on message to OAU

CANCUN, Oct. 24 (AP) — France's urgent call for an African peacekeeping force to be installed in Chad is designed to prevent any rash action by Libya, sources in the French delegation here said Friday.

But a difference in emphasis appeared between Minister of External Relations Claude Cheysson and Jean-Pierre Cot, minister for cooperation and development, over the immediate reason behind President Francois Mitterrand's surprise announcement. Mitterrand made public here a message to Kenyan President Daniel Arap Moi, current president of the Organization of African Unity, calling for the material support.

Cheysson said that France simply wanted to get the process of establishing the force moving, noting that the OAU resolved to send such a force last July, but nothing had been done. He was careful not to accuse Libya, which has sent large forces into Chad to help the government of President Goukouni Oueddei, of trying to annex Chad. It would be "too great an homage" to Libya to accuse it of being behind everything and accusing it of all kinds of interventions Cheysson said.

Habib to return in November

CANCUN, Mexico, Oct. 24 (R) — U.S. special envoy Philip Habib, who helped to achieve the Lebanon ceasefire between Israel and Palestinian Liberation Organization in July, will return to the Middle East in mid-November to review developments there, a White House spokesman said here Friday.

Spokesman David Gergen said President Reagan disclosed the new Habib mission when he conferred with Crown Prince Fahd at the Cancun summit.

As Kurds kill guards chief

Iran executes 18 rebels

TEHRAN, Oct. 24 (Agencies) — A further 18 members of the people's Mujahedeen and minority Fedayeen dissident movements were executed in four Iranian provincial towns Wednesday, it was reported here Saturday.

Islamic Republic newspaper said that the dissidents, who included two women, were convicted of "rebellion against the republic, taking part in street demonstrations, throwing stones at the people and subversion among schoolchildren." The executions took place in Ghaem Shahr and Bessahr in north Mazandaran province. Gutsban in East Khorassan and Ilam in the west.

Meanwhile, Kurdish volunteers fighting for autonomy from Tehran have killed the leader of revolutionary guards in the western town of Ravansar along with four other guardsmen, Tehran radio said Saturday. The radio said the guardsmen had been trying to drive the Kurds from several villages in Kermanshah province. The radio said the guards had recaptured five villages in the area and had cleared nearby heights of the anti-government rebels.

In Los Angeles, a former Iran hostage filed a lawsuit against Iran federal court Friday, bringing to at least 13 the number of court actions pending against the United States and Iranian governments in connection with the 14-month siege.

The suit, by William A. Gallegos of Pueblo, Colorado, seeks damages of at least \$5 million from Iran, saying that country failed to take proper precautions to protect the health and security of American personnel stationed at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran at the time of its takeover in November 1979 by Iranian militants.

The suit also questions the validity of the agreement worked out by the United States and Iran that led to the release of the captives in January 1981. A hearing on all the suits, which have been filed here, is scheduled for

Oct. 26 before U.S. District Judge William P. Gray.

Iran's state media also reported that the rebels have kidnapped and burnt to death a supporter of Ayatollah Khomeini's regime.

The broadcast said Hussein Khabaz, east Azerbaijan's political and religious affairs official of the revolution, was abducted by Mujahedeen Kbal guerrillas last Thursday just as he left the capital on the way to the northwestern city of Tabriz. The radio said Hussein Khabaz was a ranking member in Tabriz of Hezbollah (Party of God). "Hussein Khabaz played an influential role in thwarting conspiracies of the so-called Muslim Peoples party, Tehran radio said. This appeared to be an attempt by the authorities to connect Iran's senior-most religious authority Ayatollah Kazem Shariatmadari, to the Mujahedeen Khalq, the main opposition group responsible for a nationwide anti-government campaign of bombings and assassinations.

Kyprianou holds talks with Greek president

ATHENS, Oct. 24 (R) — Greek President Constantine Karamanlis Saturday had a one-hour talk with visiting Cypriot President Spyros Kyprianou on the Cyprus issue, authoritative sources said.

Kyprianou, who arrived here Thursday for a six-day visit and talks with Greece's new Socialist government, briefed the Greek president on developments in Cyprus and on recent guidelines submitted to the Cypriot government by U.N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim, the sources said. The guidelines concern a peaceful settlement of constitutional and territorial issues in Cyprus, divided since the Turkish invasion of 1974.

The island's Greek-Cypriot and Turkish-Cypriot communities are engaged in talks under the auspices of Waldheim. Kyprianou had talks with Prime Minister Andreas Papandreu and other officials Friday. The talks are to continue Monday.

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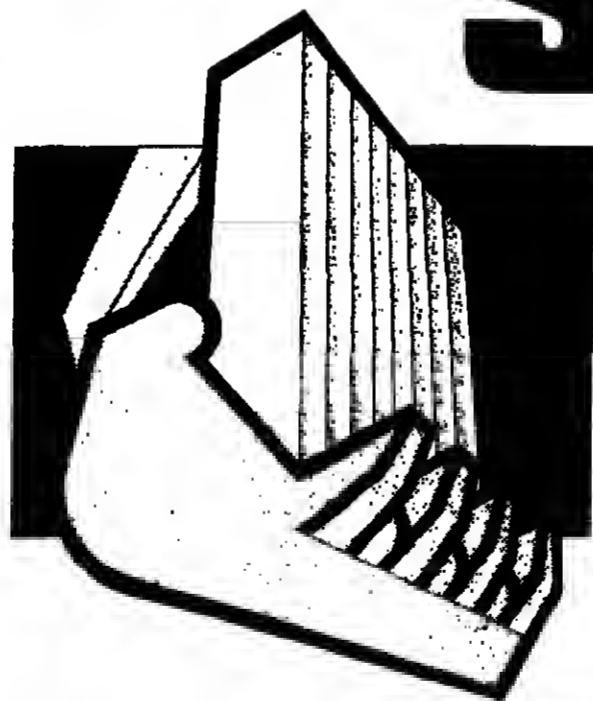
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Acid rain blamed on pollution from America; Canadians feel angry, helpless, frustrated

By Stanley Meisler

BRACEBRIDGE, Canada (LAT) — When President Reagan made his first official visit to Ottawa last March, hundreds of angry Canadians tried to drown out his speech with shouts of "stop acid rain." To them, the issue was stark and simple: American industry was spewing out pollutants into the atmosphere that came down later in rain that was destroying the lakes of Canada.

As far as many Canadians are concerned, acid rain is the single most rancorous and frustrating issue festering between their country and the United States. They feel angry and helpless while trying to deal with a danger that they believe comes in good part from beyond their borders. Those feelings are exacerbated by President Reagan's own preference for industrialists over environmentalists, and it is easy for Canadians to mark him as the villain.

However, the issue — although very real — is neither so simple nor stark as the protesters make out. Although there are not as many scientific doubts about the precise sources, trajectories, and effects of the pollutants that create acid rain as some American power companies contend, there are a few, and those are sometimes brushed aside by Canadian politicians. Moreover, Canada has at least as bad a record as the United States in controlling the emissions that bring about acid rain.

On top of that, the problem of acid rain — when stripped of its exaggerations and emotionalism — is not easy to understand. Acid rain, when it falls, does not sear the skin of innocent people nor turn the pristine lakes of Canada and New York into bubbling cauldrons of dead fish and slime. If it did, the phenomenon might shock politicians into putting a quick end to it.

Acid rain — although harmful enough — works in far more subtle ways. This subtly allows some American politicians to insist they have found flaws in the evidence, thus helping to turn a scientific problem into a political controversy marked by high-flown rhetorical.

A special House of Commons subcommittee, in a recent report, said, "Canada is facing the greatest environmental threat in the 114 years of our existence as a nation."

John Roberts, Canada's minister of the environment, recently told a group of American journalists that acid rain "raises a clear and present danger in our society."

"We want to see the United States keep its international obligations to us," he went on. "...are you going to stop dumping your garbage in our backyard?"

Gov. James A. Rhodes of Ohio, on the other hand, has dismissed the critics of the emissions from American power plants as "no-growth environmentalists" and accused them of having "latched on to acid rain as a rallying cry for a new wave of environmental hysteria."

There is an irony in the problem. Acid rain would probably not be an issue today if environmentalists had not succeeded a decade ago in forcing coal-burning power plants and other industries into building enormous smokestacks that spew sulfur dioxide and nitrogen oxides high into the skies. That has helped make the air cleaner in industrial cities, but it has also dispersed the pollution far afield.

Once in the air, the pollutants travel long distances, sometimes hundreds of miles, and are transformed through a little-understood oxidation process into sulfuric acid and nitric acid. The acids then come down to earth, either dry or, more often, mixed with rain or snow. As a form of shorthand, all that precipitation is called acid rain.

No one denies that acid rain exists, but spokesmen for American power companies contend that the acidity in the rain may have sources other than their smokestacks — lightning, for example, or volcanoes. But those contentions have been dismissed by the only significant independent group of scientists that has studied the problem, a U.S. National Research Council Committee of American, Canadian, Swedish and Norwegian scientists.

Although claims have been made that direct evidence linking power-plant emissions to the production of acid rain is inconclusive, the committee said in a recent report, "we find the circumstantial evidence for their role overwhelming...there is little probability that some factor other than emissions of sulfur and nitrogen oxides is responsible for acid rain."

By itself, acid rain does not seem to create much of a problem. Normal farmland, for example, with a high level of limestone or other alkalines in the soil, simply catches the acid rain and neutralizes it, much in the way that an antacid pill settles an upset stomach. That process is known as buffering.

But some regions are not very good at buffering because their soils lack alkalines. The Adirondak Mountains in New York is one of them. So is much of eastern Canada, where glaciers scoured away the topsoil thousands of years ago and left terrain dotted with lakes, a rocky land fit mostly for the slow growth of spruce, fir and pine trees. An environmental

crisis comes only when acid rain falls on that kind of susceptible region.

This part of Ontario — the area around Lake Muskoka, a little more than 100 miles north of Toronto — illustrates the nature of the problem.

Canadian officials estimate that Ontario has 48,500 lakes so low in alkalines that they are susceptible to acid rain and could die under the pressure some day, destroying both a way of life and an outdoor tourist industry that now earns a billion dollars a year.

The problem has been confused by a good deal of exaggeration. Some environmental writers and Canadian politicians like to say that acid rain has destroyed thousands of lakes in North America or in Canada or even in the province of Ontario alone. So far, in the two most susceptible areas of North America,

researchers have documented cases of 140 dead lakes in Ontario and 212 dead lakes in New York. In addition, the acid has destroyed the salmon population in nine streams of Nova Scotia.

There are a number of researchers who believe that acid rain also harms forests, soils, crops, buildings and statues and, by releasing mercury and other metals into drinking water, humans. But scientists have only started to research those problems, and some of the conclusions about that kind of damage are still tentative.

The real controversy over acid rain centers on two vital questions: Where does acid rain come from? What should be done about it?

The National Ministry of Environment believes that the United States is the source of half the acid rain that falls in Canada while

Canada itself is the source of the rest. On the other hand, according to the ministry, Canada is the source of 10 percent to 15 percent of the acid rain that falls in the United States, while the United States itself is the source of the rest.

The key problem is sulfur dioxide, for sulfuric acid makes up 70 percent of the acid in acid rain. In the United States, the main source of sulfur dioxide is the upper Ohio Valley with its coal-burning power plants. In Canada, the main source is the INCO (the former international nickel co.) smelter in the ugly, mine-soured town of Sudbury in northern Ontario. INCO, in fact, with its 1,250-foot superstack, spews out 2,500 tons of sulfur dioxide a day, making it the largest single source of the pollutant in the world.

In all, the United States emits 28.5 million tons of sulfur dioxide a year while Canada emits 5.5 million tons. With more American power companies turning to coal for energy and with a large number applying to the Environmental Protection Agency for relaxation of existing standards, the American total may increase in the next few years. The Canadian total, however, is expected to decrease.

In the view of many scientists, the only real solution to the problem of acid rain is cutting down the pollutants. The problem could be alleviated somewhat by adding slaked lime or limestone to drying lakes and thus giving them a buffer against acid rain, but that would only be a temporary palliative. As long as acid rain falls, the lakes would have to be relimed — and restocked with fish — every few years. As

the U.S. National Research Council once put it, "only the controls of emissk sulfur and nitrogen oxides can signifc reduce the rate of deterioration of sen freshwater ecosystems."

To reduce those emissions, the minis the environment has proposed the u scrubbers on old power-plant smokes (they are now required only on new pla the United States), more emission cor on cars, and the washing of coal to redu sulfur content. But it has been estimatd it would cost between \$7 billion and \$1 lion to fit scrubbers on the 50 largest burning power plants in the United S. Moreover, many American officials are led by Canadian demands for controls i United States that Canada has so fa imposed on its own industries.

Disorganization of Italy's police helps thieves smuggle valuable art

By Clara Hemphill

ROME (AP) — Italian art experts are horrified by the accounts of Thomas Hoving, the former director of New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, who claims he took a valuable stone relief out of Italy illegally. But they say the loss is only a small part of the plunder of Italy's art treasures.

"Italy has lost an infinite number of art works," said Rodolfo Siviero, head of a government delegation to recover stolen works of art. "It's a multi-million dollar business."

He described how works are slipped out of poorly guarded museums or churches, past careless or dishonest customs officials, and into the hands of unscrupulous dealers in Europe and the United States.

Italy has asked the U.S. government to help it recover two works on display at the Metropolitan — the 12th-Century high relief depicting the annunciation and a painted terra cotta vase by Euphronius, the Greek artist of the Sixth Century B.C.

"Your intervention might produce a positive effect, better and sooner, than an international quarrel," Raffaele Costa, undersecretary for foreign affairs, said in a letter this month to U.S. Ambassador Maxwell Rabb.

Costa is planning a trip to the United States to talk to museum officials about bringing the

works back to Italy. U.S. Embassy spokesman Gilbert Calloway had no comment except to say the United States is looking into the matter.

Hoving, in his book "The King of the Confessors," published by Simon and Schuster this month, describes how he arranged to have the relief smuggled from a dealer's garage outside Genoa across the border to Switzerland and to the United States.

Siviero finds Hoving's account particularly scandalous. "How could a person who loves culture, the director of a museum, lower himself to this, to be a thief?" He said in an interview.

But he says smuggling is common, and works are hard to retrieve because of the lack of coordination among the various branches of the police and Siviero's office, which is part of the foreign ministry.

"Italy doesn't have adequate means to stop this illegal trade," he said. "The police will be doing something and they don't tell us about it. The Carabinieri (paramilitary police) won't tell the police what they're doing and the police won't tell the Carabinieri. This disorganization helps the thieves."

Siviero showed a reporter a dozen paintings, one of which was 15 feet (three meters) high, which had been stolen from Italy after

last year's earthquake. They were recovered from dealers in France and Switzerland who suspected the works were taken from Italy illegally and contacted Italian officials.

Siviero said it was hard to imagine that a truck carrying a huge painting could slip through customs without officials noticing it.

Some famous works that Siviero says have been taken out of Italy illegally include:

— A bronze statue by the Lisippo, the Greek sculptor of the Fourth Century B.C., now on display at the J. Paul Getty Museum in Malibu, California.

— A carved head, about one meter (one yard) high, by an unknown sculptor of the Second Century. The sculpture had been on display in the archeological museum in Basel, Switzerland, but disappeared several years ago.

— A gilded bronze statue of Hercules, by an unknown sculptor of the Second Century, on display in Kassel, West Germany.

— A painting of Saint Sebastian by Andrea Del Castano, the 15th Century Florentine artist, on display at the New York Metropolitan.

Siviero said the illegal trade will be hard to stop without an international, coordinated effort.

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Over missile deployment

America ignores pacifist mood

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (R) — The Reagan administration has made it clear that it has no intention of bending to the growing public anti-nuclear sentiment among its West European allies. The administration reluctantly agreed at a North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) meeting this week that the alliance might drop its plan to deploy new nuclear missiles in Europe.

But it said this could happen only if Moscow agreed to scrap all its modern medium-range SS-20 missiles targeted on Europe. State Department officials told reporters Friday that the possibility of such a trade-off, known as the zero option, "means zero for both sides."

They in effect dismissed European hopes that the plan NATO approved in 1979 to deploy U.S. Cruise and Pershing II missiles two years from now might be canceled in return for an unspecified reduction in SS-20s. The United States estimates there are about 270 Soviet SS-20s in place, and the number is still growing.

U.S. officials said Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger had agreed, under pressure from allied leaders sensitive to anti-nuclear sentiment at home, to refer to the zero option

in a communique ending two days of talks in Scotland this week.

But Americans expressed concern that NATO's first formal recognition of this option could raise false hopes among West Europeans who view it simply as a way to avoid basing any new land-based missiles in their countries. More seriously, they said, it could create doubts in the minds of Soviet leaders about NATO's determination to carry out its plan to deploy the 572 new missiles starting late in 1983.

If Moscow were not convinced that NATO intended to proceed with this plan, U.S. officials said, it would have no incentive to negotiate mutual reductions in nuclear arsenals in Europe at talks scheduled to start in Geneva next month. That was why administration officials decided to make clear Friday that NATO would begin deploying the new missiles as scheduled unless Moscow got rid of all of its latest generation of medium-range missiles aimed at the West, they said.

The officials conceded that, based on its past negotiating record, Moscow would almost certainly balk at such an ambitious cutback, so they said the West European

public must be "educated" about the need for new NATO missiles. Secretary of State Alexander Haig at first dismissed the zero option as "ludicrous" during a recent visit to West Germany.

But the next day, in response to the wishes of Chancellor Helmut Schmidt's government, Haig softened his position and said Washington might consider it "under ideal conditions."

A just-released study by the Atlantic Assembly, which groups members of parliament from NATO countries, said Moscow was insisting that the European nuclear balance should be frozen — that is, Soviet SS-20s should remain in place and NATO should deploy no new missiles of its own. The report said that in view of the capabilities of the triple-headed SS-20s, which have much greater range and accuracy than older versions, there was no real likelihood Washington would go along.

Significant breakthrough Moss-leprosy link found

BEMIDJI, Minnesota, Oct. 24 (AP) — In what he called a significant breakthrough, a West German scientist says he has discovered a connection between peat moss and leprosy.

Dr. Jindrich Kazda, attending an international peat symposium at Bemidji State University, says he has been able to use sphagnum moss, a component of peat, to grow leprosy-causing bacteria.

Kazda said 13 million persons in India, Malaysia and a number of other tropical nations are afflicted with leprosy. India alone has some three million victims. Kazda presented a paper Friday on peat moss and leprosy, which causes lesions in the skin, the mucous membranes and the peripheral nervous system.

The disease has not been successfully controlled with drugs because scientists have never been able to grow the bacteria that caused it. Kazda said he has been studying leprosy for five years, starting with going

through the history of patients in 19th century Norway, where the disease was well documented.

Gradually, he began to find a connection between the appearance for leprosy and certain kinds of peat moss. The disease also tended to occur in areas with poor hygiene, he said.

"Now we need to isolate and analyze the material in the moss to see which is essential to growing the bacteria," Kazda said. That research will be a cooperative effort among West Germany, the United States and Finland, the scientist said.

At Bemidji state, located on the edge of Minnesota's estimated six million acres of peatland, the university researchers will work on isolating materials from peatmoss.

Finnish scientists have developed technical procedures needed to do the analysis and Kazda, from Borstel, West Germany, has the medical microbiological background.

BRIEFS

PARIS (AFP) — The owner of a Chinese restaurant killed his wife with a chopping board and buried her in the cellar, hiding her disappearance from their three children, police said Saturday. Kui Shiu Mai, 42, originally from Chikiang, China, and in Paris for the last three years, quarreled with 35-year-old Wong Mei Sun Tuesday. Overcome by remorse, he Friday gave himself up to the Chinese Embassy, who handed him over to French police.

JOHANNESBURG, (AFP) — South Africa has granted asylum to Mozambican Air Force pilot Lt. Adriano Bomba, his family and his brother, the Interior Ministry said Saturday. Lt. Bomba was intercepted in South African airspace on July 8 as he flew his Soviet-built MiG-17 across the border, and forced to land at Hoedspruit air base in East Transvaal. His brother and family arrived in South Africa two days after he detected.

SINGAPORE (AFP) — Chengara Veetil Devan Nair was sworn in Saturday as the third president of the Republic of Singapore. Nair, 58, was sworn in to the republic's highest office by Chief Justice Wee Chong Jin at the Istana, the president's official residence, in the presence of acting President Dr. Yeoh Ghim Seng, Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew, other cabinet ministers and senior officials.

BERLIN (AFP) — British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington will make an official visit to West Berlin next Thursday and Friday, sources at the capital's seat said here Saturday.

Arms brought to Colombia by ruse

BOGOTA, Oct. 24 (AFP) — A guerrilla group smuggled a payload of arms into Colombia from Panama after convincing aviation authorities that the plane had developed engine trouble, a television chain charged Friday night.

The report has not been confirmed, but "24-Hours" said that four men pretending to belong to the National Electricity Corporation chartered a plane Wednesday from Aeropesca Co., in the northwest town of Medellin, saying they wanted to fly some equipment to Barranquilla, on the Atlantic

coast. An hour after take-off, the pilot reported engine trouble. This was the last time the plane was heard of.

A search along the planned route failed to find the plane. But Thursday military and civilian planes reported a plane 600 kms south of here, lying on a sandbank in the River Ortega, but showing no sign of a crash-landing.

The television report said that a military patrol found the plane was the missing craft, and discovered empty arms crates, marked Panama, and loose cartridges.

9 killed in bus plunge

JAKARTA, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Nine persons were killed instantly when a passenger bus plunged into a bridge over a river near Pandeglang west of Jakarta Friday, Merdeka (freedom) daily reported Saturday. The driver was among those killed, while four others, including the conductor, suffered serious injuries.

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Plagued by problems

Poland seeks to rejoin IMF

WARSAW, Oct. 24 (R) — Poland has begun active negotiations to rejoin the International Monetary Fund (IMF) which it left in 1950 when it joined the Soviet bloc trade group Comecon...

Poland was among the original members of the IMF, formed in the last years of World War II, and has been under increasing pressure from the West to rejoin because of its huge debts.

Poland's economic problems have taken on a global character affecting many Western creditor countries, and the IMF is particularly well equipped to handle such a situation.

The official news agency Pao reported that the finance ministry would publish the country's balance of payments statistics. This is normally a precondition for membership of the IMF.

A report released by the finance ministry on Poland's payments balance from 1971 to 1980 showed the country's foreign debt standing at \$24 billion \$2 billion of which are owed to Communist countries.

PAP said the latest figures showed Poland's balance of trade deficit had reached

Greece imposes price controls

ATHENS, Oct. 24 (R) — Greece's new Socialist government Saturday imposed stricter price controls on foodstuffs and industrial consumer goods in an effort to curb inflation, which is running at 25 percent for the third consecutive year.

Commerce Minister Nicos Akritidis said committees from his ministry will examine production costs to determine retail prices of goods on the market. The measure is the first in sweeping economic changes which the government will announce in coming weeks in an effort to bring down inflation to about 20 percent.

End trade imbalance, Kenya urges Japan

NAIROBI, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Kenyan Industry Minister Mwangi Wanyuki Friday appealed to the Japanese government to correct the current trade imbalance between Kenya and Japan.

Addressing a four-man Japanese trade delegation here, Wanyuki suggested that Japan could help correct the imbalance by setting up small-scale industries in the rural areas.

just over \$1 billion after the first nine months of this year despite cuts in imports. Hard currency revenue from the West in the first three quarters of 1981 fell to \$4.2 billion down 25 percent from the same period last year, the agency reported.

In Washington, the IMF declined comment on the statements by the Polish government sources.

Poland allowed an IMF observer to sit in at a meeting with creditor countries last month in Paris, a move seen as a possible first step to its seeking to rejoin the fund.

The Soviet Union, however, sees the IMF as a Western-dominated institution which embraces capitalist ideas. The Reagan administration has supported Polish attempts to achieve economic reforms, and monetary sources said the U.S. would not oppose Poland rejoining the IMF.

In another development President Nicolae Ceausescu of Romania, a country which, according to Western bankers, is having

Sun sets on Britain's 'Royal' docks

LONDON, Oct. 24 (R) — The last of London's 19th century docks, gateway for the wealth of the British empire, are about to close.

The Royal Albert, Royal Victoria and King Edward the fifth docks, known as the 'royal' group, cease handling general cargo at the end of October after losing six million sterling (\$11 million) in the past year.

Changing methods of cargo handling, recession and Britain's relative trade decline have hit once prosperous dockland, closing 15 docks since 1967 and leaving thousands of decaying acres (hectares) ripe for development.

The 'royals', closure marks the end of the greatest and richest era in London's history as a port, opened up 2,000 years ago by the conquering huns to ship out British slaves, skins and iron.

London port thrives, handling annually nearly 50 million ton of oil, coal, bulk grains and other cargoes. But the focus has shifted to modern river wharves and the new deep water container port at Tilbury, 16 miles (25 km) downriver.

"It had to happen because of containerization and the recession," said Port of London chairman Victor Paige.

"We look forward now to a new chapter in the history of the port of London based on the enhanced role of Tilbury," said Paige, whose Port of London Authority lost 20 million pounds (\$36 million) last year.

The British government, seeking investment for new factories, regards the 5,000 acres (2,000 hectares) freed by dock closures since 1967 as possibly the finest single development opportunity in West Europe.

One London Community leader called it "the greatest act of urban renewal in the history of modern Europe." Many schemes are proposed. A British group plans an artificial island in one of the 'royal' docks to bear a high technology research center.

A 100 million sterling (\$180 million) new Thames bridge, London's 18th, is planned as well as a new underground rail link.

In a mood of confidence, the Greater London Council (GLC) contemplated inviting the 1985 Olympic Games to dockland until daunted by the estimated 750 million sterling (\$1.4 billion) cost. But the visions of planners have borne few concrete results to date.

Since 1970 some 1,500 new homes and a hotel have been built in disused dockland. One dock, the small and attractive St. Katherine's below Tower Bridge, has been turned into a pleasant yacht marina with its cobbled quay street and warehouse preserved.

A walk through dockland today can be depressing, a stark mirror of the transition Britain has undergone from rich imperial power to an economically weak nation.

Gone are the bustling dockside communities, the forests of masts and cranes. Instead there is quiet, and willowherb, the sturdy weed of Thames bank, has started to reclaim disused sites.

increasing problems with its foreign debts, has met a senior official of the IMF. Bucharest newspapers reported Saturday.

He had talks in Bucharest with Geoffrey Tyler, assistant managing director of the IMF European department, to outline Romania's economic growth plans and discuss possible expansion of its cooperation with the world body. The reports made no mention of whether Ceausescu requested fresh credits for his country's ailing economy.

Western bankers say Romania, the only Soviet bloc member of the IMF and the World Bank, has been having trouble meeting short-term payments and has fallen far behind in paying off some of its commercial bills.

Romania's debts to Western commercial banks totaled \$5.8 billion at the end of 1980, according to the Bank for International Settlements in Basle, and 42.7 percent of this was due for repayment this year.

Belgium steel giant gets \$180m loan

BRUSSELS, Oct. 24 (R) — Belgium's loss-making steel giant Cockerill-Sambre has staved off threats of bankruptcy by winning a \$180 million loan from a consortium of Swiss banks, a government spokesman said.

The company, created last June through the merger of Cockerill and Minalut-Sambre, is losing \$25 million a month and has been urgently seeking funds to carry through a planned modernization program.

Its plight brought down the Belgian government last month, when the French-speaking Socialists (PS) caused a deep rift in the center-left coalition by insisting that the government invest close to \$500 million in the firm immediately.

Company sources said the loan, which the government has guaranteed, could not replace the planned government investment.

goods which flowed in. The West and East India docks unloaded ships from the Caribbean and Asia. The Royal Docks took butter and cheese from New Zealand and Australia

The docks on to south bank of the Thames, the Surrey group, developed links with Europe and unloaded rubber and timber. These docks, closed in the 1970s, are the only ones where work of setting up of new light industries is well advanced.

Tea from India, lumber from Canada, Malaysian rubber, hogsheads of tobacco, jute, hemp, spices, gold and furs were the sort of

against 12.4 percent for the whole of 1980.

Another, broader, measure of inflation based on the movement of gross national product, indicates that general inflation was 9.4 percent in the third quarter against 6.4 percent in the second quarter and 9.8 percent in the first.

Political and economic circles have been somewhat disappointed with the figures, counting on a continuation of the lower inflationary trend noted in the second quarter.

It is hoped that the inflationary upturn will prove to be brief, but the movement is worrying because other signs were pointing in the right direction. These included lower raw material prices and the stabilization or easing of oil product prices.

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Dollar consolidates position

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, Oct. 24 — Despite a fall in the reported U.S. money supply figures for the past week, the American currency maintained its strength on the New York exchange markets. The fall of some \$1.5 billion in the broader M1-B money measurement — demand deposits and interest bearing checking accounts — was less than expected and Eurodollar deposit rates remained firm. Gold continued to trade erratically and closed at \$430.30 per ounce in New York, despite expectations that the precious metal would rise in the wake of renewed Polish political concerns.

The rial deposit rates continued to remain firm in the local markets, but some rial liquidity injections brought down rates in the shorter tenors, especially the one-month period. Long-term rates remained firm with one-year deposit closing at levels of 14% — 15% percent.

The Friday European and American exchange markets saw the dollar consolidate its strength gained over past few days. The news of a 1.2 percent rise in U.S. inflation rate for the month of September did not halt the rise with the markets now seemingly convinced that a temporary halt had been reached in U.S. dollar rate falls.

Three-month Eurodollar deposit rates were quoted at 16 3/16 — 16 5/16 percent Saturday out of Bahrain, while the one-year was quoted at 16 7/16 — 16 9/16 percent with no change over Friday prices. There is now a strong possibility that Eurodollar deposit

rates will climb over the 17 percent level during this coming week.

The dollar's strengthening on the money markets was reflected in the exchange markets where the German mark fell back more than 150 points to close at 2.2850 levels Friday. The French franc did not fare better either, losing ground from 5.6900 levels to close at 5.7150 levels. The British pound was relatively stable for a change, closing at 1.8200 levels after some more determined Bank of England support, while the Swiss franc weakened in sympathy with the German mark to close at 1.8975 levels. The yen gained some points to close at 232.50 levels after some heavy importer buying at levels of 233.80 offered good exchange rates for Japanese exporters.

On the local exchanges, spot rial/dollar rates opened at 3.4200-10, but by close had only managed to rise to 3.4202-12 in what was described as "lethargic dealing" by local traders. Interbank transactions were few as most institutions wanted to wait and see what really happens to the dollar in the coming week. Commercial dollar sales for opening of letters of credits were reported up, but this is probably to be expected now that the holiday season is over in the Kingdom. Inter-Bank rial deposit rates remained firm on the whole, with the longer tenors maintaining their strength. Short dates funds fell back slightly taking the one-month JIBOR rate from opening levels of 14 — 14 1/4 percent to 13 1/4 — 14 percent for the one month.

Reagan's main economic plank is creaking

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AFP) — The main plank of President Ronald Reagan's economic policy — the fight against inflation — is proving much harder than expected to nail in place, economic circles here are commenting.

Official figures published at the end of this week show that in the third quarter inflation bounced up despite falling economic activity.

Economic commentators note that this trend indicates that the Federal Reserve will maintain its strict control of liquidity and credit and that interest rates will remain high as a consequence.

In the third quarter the annual cost of living increase was running at 13.3 percent — including a rate of 14.8 percent in July and September which is the highest this year.

For the first nine months of 1981, the cost of living rose at a little more than 10 percent

U.K. oilmen threaten strike

International Monetary fund, the prices of the 30 most important raw materials and basic products fell by an overall 2.1 percent in September to stand at 21 percent below their record level of October 1980.

Several specialists argue that the inflation rate is due largely to domestic causes, particularly the continued large budget deficit, stagnant productivity, high interest rates and inflationary expectations.

President Reagan does not expect to get the budget back in balance before 1984, and there is a general feeling that he will do well to achieve this. His three-year program — aimed at boosting private enterprise and investment by reducing taxes — should help improve productivity. The authorities, and the heads of leading businesses, are also counting on lower pay rises.

LONDON, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Delegates for 20,000 oil transport and refinery workers in Britain have threatened a strike from Nov. 16 if four major oil companies fail to offer substantial pay rises.

Esso, Shell, BP and Texaco have proposed rises of 6.5 percent for the coming year. But the workers said at a meeting Friday they wanted the big four to match an offer by 110 percent plus a shorter working week.

The strike call is to be considered by the executive council of the Transport and General Workers Union, which the oilmen belong.

They have recommended an initial 24-hour stoppage in refineries and deliveries Nov. 6.

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30% output fall seen

Russia faces big food problems

MOSCOW, Oct. 24 (AFP) — This year's Soviet grain harvest was shaping up to a disheartening 170 million tons, 30 percent below target and a figure that implies major food problems ahead.

Provisional reports reaching the Ministry of Agriculture tend to confirm an earlier remark by politburo member Mikhail Suslov that the 1981 crop would be bad. He blamed drought in particular. Satisfactory results could be expected only from model farms in fertile regions, he said.

But an informed source told Agence France-Presse Friday that even those normally rich fields will show low yields this year. Output from the rich farmlands of Kazakhstan, pride of the 1950's development program, seemed likely to fall 10 percent below target.

Final overall figures from Institute of statistics will not be available until early next year, but the source hazarded a total 170 million tons at most for 1981, against 189 million last year and 179 million in 1979.

The target for this year was set at 236 million tons, a bold objective compared with those laid down in the 1960's, when 130 million tons was a matter for rejoicing. The shortfall of 30 percent, if confirmed, means

major imports from big suppliers like Argentina, but also from the United States which lifted its embargo some time ago. The USSR may well ship in some 18 million tons from the United States in 1981-82.

Agriculture has always been a basic preoccupation for the Soviet leadership. A mere one percent of Soviet territory can fairly be described as good farming land, they say. And this year, crops have suffered frost in the spring and drought later on.

Adverse weather is not the whole story. Soviet farms are constantly asking for more fertilizers, their equipment tends to be in bad shape, transportation is tangled and storage arrangements are an organization man's nightmare. It all adds up to losses on a big scale. True, in some parts of the country the wheat this year overgrew higher than 10 centimeters (3.5 inches) because of drought.

But there is fine corn, too, rotting in the fields for lack of harvesting machines and trucks to shift it. Huge mounds of grain lie exposed to the assault of winter, for lack of silo capacity.

The party at its congress last February saw the shortcomings, and moved for the silo program to be speeded up. A "special food plan" was approved. The battle to beat the food shortage, get the crops to the towns and

fill the shops is far from over.

Meanwhile, the consumers seem less willing than in the past to live in want. In private there is talk of a "Polish situation" developing in the Soviet Union at some time in future.

Meanwhile, in Argentina itself, widespread drought has hit wheat-growing areas and traders said Friday had cut estimates of the next harvest to seven million tons.

This is 1.5 million tons less than estimated a week ago and well below the 10 million predicted when the wheat was sown.

The drought could affect grain exports from Argentina which became the biggest supplier to the Soviet Union when Washington imposed a partial embargo on supplies to Moscow after the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan.

The traders here described the drought as serious and based their estimate of a seven million ton harvest on the assumption the dry spell would be broken within 15 days. The last harvest yielded 7.78 million tons.

Domestic consumption in 1982 and seed needed to sow the next crop are estimated to total 4.2 to 4.5 million tons and the traders said the government feared exporters might over-commit themselves.

U.S. to slash foreign study plan funds

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP) — The Reagan administration has proposed halving funds for Fulbright Scholarships and other international exchange programs.

The proposed cuts came in a revised budget for the International Communications Agency. They were immediately attacked by education groups.

Richard Krasno, executive president of the Institute of International Education in New York, said, "These cuts would devastate the Fulbright program and other exchanges. It is particularly ironic they propose this at a time when the president is down in Cancun talking about global cooperation."

The ICA proposed cutting funds for its education and cultural exchanges from \$79 million to \$35 million. Within that budget, academic exchanges would be reduced from \$48 million to \$22 million, a 53 percent cut.

The cuts would bring about a 40 percent reduction in the number of grants to Americans to study abroad or scholarships for foreigners to study here.

If food is cut off

Japan can survive on rice

TOKYO, Oct. 24 (AP) — The Japanese government has released a preliminary study saying that its 117 million people could survive, with a return to a traditional rice and potato diet, if imports were cut off because of international conflicts or poor harvests in exporting countries.

The report compiled by the Ministry of Agriculture, forestry and fisheries said Japan's per-capita caloric intake would drop from the current 2,500 calories a day to an estimated 2,080-2,250 level in the event of a total food cutoff lasting several years.

Japan imports 94 percent of its wheat

needs, and 91 percent of its soybeans. A blockage of the country's vital sea lanes could mean a loss of foodstuffs and a cutoff of the country's oil supply — 99.8 percent of which comes from abroad, primarily the Arabian Gulf region.

A food cutoff would call for changes in Japan's dietary life, the report said, with its increasingly Westernized diet heavy with animal protein and fat replaced by traditional carbohydrate-based eating habits. People would have to rely heavily on rice and starch food such as potatoes to obtain 1,800-2,000 calories, the minimum nutritional level for an average Japanese.

Deep economic crisis grips Bolivia

LA PAZ, Oct. 24 (R) — Bolivian Finance Minister Javier Alcoreza has said that the crisis in the country's economy could no longer be masked.

The name of Bolivia increasingly evoked uncertainty, violence and corruption, he told a meeting of businessmen. The country had intolerable debts and was on the bottom rung on the ladder of backwardness and misery.

Urging the businessmen to help in reducing Bolivia's foreign dependence, he said "corrective action cannot be put off for one more

day. "No more extravagance. Every dollar is a drop of Bolivia's blood."

He said that the monthly income from Bolivian exports was \$80 million of which debts to creditors took \$40 million. Therefore, Bolivia's annual expenditure abroad must be cut from \$1,005 million to \$480 million. Alcoreza said the productive sector of the economy needed a new impetus to help it in overcoming the country's problems. He also asked the businessmen to seek new models for managing their affairs.

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As Fernando Valenzuela recovers

Dodgers keep in the running

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24 (AP) — Fernando Valenzuela struggled, but won the battle of the rookies, and Ron Cey cracked a three-run homer Friday night as the Los Angeles Dodgers edged New York 5-4, cutting the Yankees' lead in the World Series to 2-1.

Bob Watson and Rice Cerone each homered off Valenzuela, who yielded nine hits. The Mexican, usually stingy with walks, issued seven — two intentionally. Righthetti, meanwhile, lasted only into the third inning before he was relieved. He fielded five hits and three runs.

Bob Welch, 9-3 during the regular season, was expected to start Game Four here Saturday afternoon as the Dodgers tried to even the series. Yankees manager, Bob Lemon, said he would start Rick Reuschel, 4-4.

Valenzuela, 13-7, was in trouble in each of the first five innings. His screwball was wild and on several occasions, he appeared on the brink of joining his teammates on the bench. Finally, in the seventh, he pitched his first inning without allowing a Yankee baserunner.

Cey sustained a broken bone in his left forearm on Sept. 8 and did not start again until the first game of the NL championship series. He showed no ill effects Friday night.

Dave Lopes led off the Dodgers' first with a double down the right field line off Righthetti

and Bill Gussell followed with a perfect bunt single. Russell pushed the first pitch from Righthetti toward second but Yankees second baseman Willie Randolph was moving to cover first, and unable to field the bunt as Lopes scampered to third.

Righthetti got Dusty Baker to pop and struck out Steve Garvey, bringing Cey to the plate. Righthetti worked the count 2-2 and "the penguin" hit a long foul ball into the seats down the left field line. He launched Righthetti's next pitch halfway up the left-center field bleachers, near the 70-foot sign.

Valenzuela had walked two men in the first inning, escaping with the help of a double play. It was not long before he was in trouble again. Watson led off the second with a homer over the 355-foot sign in right-center, picking an 0-1 delivery, and Cerone followed with a double off the top railing of the fence in the left field corner.

Cerone tagged up and went to third on a line drive to right by Aurelio Rodriguez, who was substituting at third base for the injured Graig Nettles. Larry Milbourne followed with a single that scored Cerone. Righthetti sacrificed Milbourne to second and Valenzuela walked Randolph for the second straight inning.

The cool left-hander got out of the inning, though, Jerry Mumphrey hit a tapper back to the mound.

In the third the Yankees took a 4-3 lead off Valenzuela, who had drawn a record Dodger Stadium crowd of 56,237 to the game. With one out, Lou Piniella singled up the middle and after Watson popped out, Cerone slugged a 1-0 pitch about 400 feet to the left-center field bleachers.

Garvey led off against reliever George Frazier with an infield chopper down the line at third. Rodriguez handled the ball but was unable to make the throw in time. Cey walked, and Pedro Guerrero followed with a double that took one hop and bounced over the outstretched glove of Rodriguez.

That scored Garvey and Rick Monday was intentionally walked to load the bases. Rody May relieved Frazier for the Yankees.

Mike Scioscia's double play grounder to second scored what held up as the winning run, and Fernandez was alive — if not thriving — in Los Angeles.

In the eighth inning, Rodriguez singled to left and the Yankees had another threat when Milbourne followed with an infield hit off the glove of Lopes.

But Bobby Murcer, a longtime Yankee but playing in his first World Series, came in to pinch hit for May. His assignment was to bunt but it backfired. Murcer's tap looped toward third base and Cey made a diving catch. His throw to first doubled off Milbourne and Valenzuela needed one more out to end the inning.

Randolph produced that last out when he grounded to Cey, who tagged Rodriguez trying to advance.

In the ninth, Valenzuela was untouchable. Mumphrey grounded to second and Dave Winfield was out of routine fly to right-center. Valenzuela made Piniella his final victim, striking him out with his 145th pitch of the game, and giving the Dodgers a new lease on this 78th World Series after losing the first two games at Yankee Stadium.



Ron Cey

Eighth game drawn

MERANO, Italy, Oct. 24 (AP) — The eighth game of the World Chess Championship ended in a draw on the 80th move Friday, leaving titleholder Anatoly Karpov with an unchanged 3-1 advantage in the series over challenger Viktor Korchnoi.

The eighth game, longest so far in the series, had been adjourned on the 41st move Friday. Karpov had a slightly stronger position, but it wasn't sufficient to win.

The game was the fourth draw of the championship, which began Oct. 1 in this Italian mountain resort near the Austrian border.

Chess experts said the result was likely to cheer Korchnoi, because Karpov was unable to win despite the advantage of playing the white pieces, which move first.

Karpov was up a pawn at the end, but he was unable to queen it because Korchnoi had a knight ready to capture it. Both players had two knights at the end, an unusual finish.

In Bridgestone Golf

Irwin improves position

SODEGAURA, Japan, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Second round leader American Hale Irwin, two-time U.S. Open winner, led after the third round Saturday of the 50 million yen (\$213,000) annual Bridgestone Golf Tournament on the 6,539-meter, par-72 Sodegaura Country Club course.

Playing in fine weather Irwin fired an even-par 72 for a three-day total of 207, nine under par.

Trailing Irwin five strokes behind at second place were Japanese pros Akio Kanemoto and Toru Nakamura who shot a 69 and a 72, respectively, for four-under 212.

Tied for fourth were American Bill Rogers, 1981 British Open and World Series of Golf champion, veteran Japanese Masahiro "Jumbo" Ozaki, Taiwan's La Hsi-chun and

Nick Faldo of Britain, opening round leader, each with three-under 213.

Defending champion Bob Gilder of the U.S., his fellow countryman Johnny Miller and two Japanese pros were tied in eighth place on 214, two under par.

Meanwhile, Irishman Eamonn Darcy will go into the final round Sunday of the \$80,000 West Lakes Classic at Royal Adelaide three strokes in the lead. Darcy shot at 72 Saturday for an aggregate eight-under-par 211.

The former Ryder Cup player carded sub-par rounds of 68 and 71 on the first two days.

Australian Bob Shearer is five-under after rounds of 70, 72, 72, followed by Scotland's Sam Torrance on 215 (74, 67, 74). Shearer won the event in 1975 and 1977.

India, New Zealand qualify

HONG KONG, Oct. 24 (AFP) — India and New Zealand qualified for the final of the Second Junior (field) Hockey World Cup in Malaysia next year when they won their semi-final games in the Austral-Asian zone's qualifying tournament here Saturday.

New Zealand produced the shock of the 10-nation tournament when they beat Australia 2-0 in a rough game and favorite India narrowly beat energetic South Korea 3-2 in extra-time.

New Zealand and India will meet Sunday in the zone's qualifying final here. But with the top two teams going through to Malaysia, the final will have little meaning.

India seemed to be coasting to an easy victory over South Korea, the surprise team of this tournament, when they went into a 2-0 lead after 20 minutes.

Breaking quickly from midfield and frequently piercing the South Korean defense, forwards S. Kumar and K.P. Yadava scored in

the 14th and 20th minutes. South Korea had no answer to the early Indian mastery.

But after the interval, India slackened off and the aggressive South Koreans, who were in no mood to capitulate, hit back with a fine field goal from Lee Woi-stok.

India seemed to be holding out but the 20 minutes from time. South Korea stunned the tournament favorite with an equalizer from Kim Seong Joong.

The match went into extra-time. But the Indians dragged themselves back and hit the winner through center-forward Mubinder Singh who split the South Korean defense with a great solo run.

Australia and New Zealand clashed in a semi-final of identical style. The New Zealanders came off better with an early goal from coater-forward Peter Daji. The Australians were rocked again in the 15th minute when they conceded a penalty stroke which Cliff Blown converted.

Lendl, Gottfried stretched

VIENNA, Oct. 24 (AFP) — Topseed Ivan Lendl, of Czechoslovakia, didn't have it all his way in the quarterfinals of the Vienna Grand Prix Tennis tournament Friday. The Czech struggled to beat America's Sandy Mayer 7-5, 6-4.

Second-seeded Brian Gottfried of the U.S. also had to work hard, losing the second set against Brazilian Carlos Kirmayar before beating him 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

Stan Smith of the U.S. and Tomas Smid of Czechoslovakia, the third and fourth seed, however, had an easier passage to the semifinals. Smith beat West Germany's Rolf Gehring 6-3, 6-2 and Smid overpowered Frenchman Jerome Potier 6-1, 6-1.

Celin Dibley champ

In Seoul, Australian veteran Colin Dibley wooed the \$45,000 Haitai Pro Tennis Tournament by beating Vincent Van Patten of the U.S. 6-3, 6-3 at the Jamsil Indoor court.

Dibley easily subdued Vao Patten with powerful service and better stroke play in the final. He beat favored American Roscoe Tanner in three sets in the first round and then disposed of 17-year-old American

Jimmy Arias, the world's youngest pro, in two sets to reach the final.

American pair of Roscoe Tanner and John Sadri wooed the doubles tournament by beating compatriots Victor Amaya and Jimmy Arias 6-4 6-4.

Meanwhile, top seeded Eliot Teltscher of the United States will play No. 2 seed Balazs Taroczy of Hungary in the men's singles final here Sunday of the \$175,000 1981 Japan-Asia Open Tennis Championships.

Teltscher entered the final after beating unseeded Van Winitzky of the United States 6-4, 6-4 at Tokyo's Deoco Clay courts. Taroczy qualified for the final by prevailing over 11th seed Pat Dupre of the U.S. 6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

In the women's singles final, also on Sunday, No. 1 seed Pam Casale of the U.S. will play Marie Piterova of Czechoslovakia, the No. 6 seed.

In the men's doubles, Heinz Günthardt of Switzerland and Balazs Taroczy of Hungary outlasted Americans Martin Davis and Chris Dunk 6-4, 6-4. Pat Dupre and Buster Mottram of Britain defeated Americans Van Winitzky and Lloyd Borne 6-3, 6-2.

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Your Individual Horoscope

Frances Drake
FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1981

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)

Join others at a cultural event. Artistic activities are accentuated. Happy news comes from afar, and love ties grow stronger.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20)

Charm and sociability aid you on the job. Your warm cordiality brings out the best in others. Creative energy is strong.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20)

This is a happy time for you romantically. Though an evening appointment may have to be changed, your cheerfulness wins you admiration.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22)

It's a good time to add a decorative touch to the home. A co-worker wants to know you socially. Children are

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22)

Artistic pursuits, hobbies and local visits are all happily emphasized. Romance is likely. A relative tends to be edgy.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22)

Surprise a loved one with a gift. An unexpected expense may crop up. You'll find home-based activities are most fulfilling.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)

Write love letters and make important calls. You're popular now and will attract romance. Pleasure trips are favored.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)

Keep favorable financial developments confidential. Curb restlessness after dark. Save enough time for creative pursuits.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

You'll have happy times in the company of friends. Club activities are favored. Singles attract romance. Enjoy new contacts. Sociability will aid your career.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19)

Check out the commercial possibilities of creative work. A private talk makes you happy. Sociability will aid your career.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18)

A pleasant invitation should arrive. Keep in touch with friends at a distance. Artistic types enjoy creative inspiration.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20)

The personal touch abets career aims. Avoid impulsive financial moves. Check extravagance. Follow the lead of a close friend.

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SUNDAY
5:00 Quran
5:30 Cartoons
6:15 Local Arabic News
6:30 Religious Symposium
7:15 From the Publisher
7:45 English News
8:00 TV Magazine
9:20 Arabic News
Program Preview
Daily Arabic Series
Sports
Arabic Weekly Series

5:30 Cartoons
6:00 Quran Series
6:30 Health For Everybody
7:30 Documentary
8:00 Local News
8:10 Sports Magazine
9:00 Arabic Drama
10:00 World News
10:35 Songs and Program Preview
11:00 Arabic Feature Film
12:30 Closedown

Bahrain Channel 4

4:00 Quran
Religious Talk
4:20 Program Preview
4:25 Cartoons
4:50 Children's Program
6:00 Exploring the Restless Sea
6:30 Beach Combers
7:00 Daily Arabic Series
8:00 Arabic News
8:30 Local Program
9:20 Arabic News
9:45 Tomorrow's Programs
9:50 Arabic Program
9:55 Arabic Film

DUBAI Channel 10

5:00 Quran
5:15 Religious Talk

5:30 Quran
6:00 Quran
6:15 Animals, Animals
6:35 Quran
6:50 Athletics
7:00 Bee Hall
7:30 Islamic Horizons
8:00 Local News
8:10 Code of Green Acres
7:00 Agricultural Program
10:00 World News
10:25 West End Tales
10:30 Features Film
12:30 Closedown

Ras Al Khaimah

5:00 Quran
6:00 Quran
6:25 Islamic World
7:40 Theater of Stars
8:25 Ball on the River
8:50 Feature Film

Channel 2

7:30 Quran
7:55 Big Big Movie
8:30 News
8:15 Wings
9:00 Harvest Valley
9:30 Horizon
10:15 Hart to Hart

Channel 33

3:00 Quran
3:15 Children's Arabic Series
4:00 Cartoons in English
4:15 Learn English
4:30 You and Nature
5:00 Daily Arabic Series
6:00 Local News
6:15 Press Roundup
6:20 Here's Lucy
6:30 Youth and Sports
7:30 Daily Arabic Series
8:30 Arabic News
9:00 Youth and Sports
10:00 English News
10:00 English Film
10:15 Pop Songs
10:20 Arabic Film
12:00 Arabic News

Saudi Arabia

Afternoon Transmission
Time Sunday
2:00 Opening
2:01 Holy Quran
2:06 Program Review
2:07 Guest of Golden Gate
2:12 Light Music
2:15 On Islam
2:23 Pop Variety
2:30 Light Music
3:00 News
3:10 Press Review
3:15 Light Music
3:30 Leaps & Bounds
3:30 Youth Welfare
3:40 Light Music
3:45 Closedown

Time Sunday
8:00 Opening
8:00 Quran
8:06 Program Review
8:07 Games of Goldense
8:12 Light Music
8:15 The Evening Show
8:45 Consequences of the Prophet
9:00 Arabic by Radio
9:05 News to Remember
9:30 News
9:40 S. Chronicle
9:45 Saudi Arabia Highlights
10:15 Music Machine
10:45 A Small World
11:00 Concert Choice
11:45 A Roundup With Dreams
12:00 Closedown

BBC

Sunday
0700 Newsworld
0730 Music for Strings
0745 Financial Review
0755 Reflections
0800 World News
0809 British Press Review
0815 Letterbox
0820 Golden Treasury
0845 Letter from America
0900 Newsworld
0930 Just for the Asking
1000 World News
1009 News about Britain
1015 From our own Correspondents
1100 World News
1030 Classical Record Review
1045 Leave it to Panik
1100 World News
1109 Reflections
1115 The Phoenix's Young
1200 World News
1209 British Press Review
1215 People and Politics
1245 Review
1315 The Waltz
1330 Religious Services
1400 World News
1409 News about Britain
1415 Letter from America
1430 Play of the Week
1530 Baker's Half-Down (ex 18th Play of the week)
1600 World News
1609 Commentary
1615 Good Books
1630 World News
2309 Commentary
2315 Letterbox
2330 Sunday Half-Hour Short Story
11th, 18th 25th, Classic Short Stories

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0600 - 0900 The Breakfast Show
1800 News and Topical Reports
1815 New Horizons
1900 Special English News
1910 Words and Their Stories
1915 Special English Feature: People in America
1930 Music USA Standards
2000 News and New Products USA
2015 Critics Choice
2030 Studio One
2100 Special English News
2110 Words and Their Stories
2115 Special English Feature: People in America
2130 Music USA: Standards
2200 News and Topical Reports
2215 New Horizons
2230 Issues and Answers
2300 Special English News
2310 Words and Their Stories
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Radio Pakistan

SUNDAY

Morning
Propaganda: 1746Z, 1745Z, 2170Z (KEKZ)
Wavelengths: 16.94, 16.81, 13.82 (meters)

7:45 Religious Program
8:00 News
8:10 Request Music
8:30 Historical Notes
9:00 News
9:03 Listeners' Mail
9:23 Request Music

Evening
Propaganda: 17910, 21485, 21755 (KEKZ)
Wavelengths: 16.74, 13.96, 13.79 (meters)

4:30 Religious Program
4:46 New Stars (Music)
5:15 Sports Round-up
5:45 One Composer
6:00 News
6:15 Press Review
6:20 On This Day
6:25 Light Music

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